IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Keiji ISHIGURO

Application No.: 10/717,507

Filed: November 21, 2003

Attn: Mail Stop Missing Parts

Docket No.: 1

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For: PRINTING CONTROL PROGRAM, PRINTING CONTROL SYSTEM, AND PRINTING CONTROL METHOD

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS WITH DECLARATION AND FORMAL DRAWINGS

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted (copy attached) mailed on February 20, 2004, submitted herewith is the executed Declaration of the inventor. Any specification attached to and referenced in the Declaration is a copy of the specification and any amendments thereto which were filed in the Office in order to obtain a filing date for the application.

Attached is our Check No. $\underline{152798}$ for $\boxtimes \$130.00$ $\square \$65.00$ (entitlement to small entity status is asserted) for the fee under 37 C.F.R. \$1.16(e).

Also submitted herewith are 11 sheets of formal drawings (Figs. 1-12) in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and 1.121.

Entry of these documents should complete all of the filing formalities and fully satisfy all requirements of the Notice to File Missing Parts. Accordingly, examination and allowance of this application in due course are respectfully solicited.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee (or credit any overpayment) associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 15-0461. Two duplicate copies of this paper are attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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